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INTO Th1-LIKE EFFECTORS
Art Unit : 1647
Examiner : Regina M. DeBerry

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

In further response to the third Office Action Final Rejection (second Office Action on the merits) dated November 1, 2001, please enter the following supplemental amendment in this Request For Continued Examination (RCE) application:

Please enter the accompanying Terminal Disclaimer as to related U.S. Patent No. 5,952,296, issued September 14, 1999 of common inventorship herewith ("Bigazzi US-296").

REMARKS

Original claims 1-6 remain pending in this RCE case.

This supplemental amendment is meant to be taken cumulatively with the amendment dated April 1, 2002 filed with the RCE.

The Examiner is thanked for the most courteous telephone interview extended to applicant's attorneys at which time the prompt filing of the instant supplemental amendment was discussed,